

## A decade of Amateur Radio Weekly!

The milestone almost got away from me, but this past March marked the first issue of Amateur Radio Weekly sent way back in 2014. I wrote a [blog post](#) about it. I also [recorded a video](#) talking through how the newsletter is crafted each week. Thanks for reading and here's to another decade! 73 K4HCK

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### Ham Radio in the Internet age

Globalization has made radios much less expensive, while technological advances have made them vastly more capable.

[Hackaday](#)

### Latest FreeDV GUI includes RADE HF digital voice mode

The new mode has been in development since early 2024 and is now entering a phase of real time, over the air testing.

[FreeDV](#)

### A deep dive into the antenna called "Long Tall Sally"

A very unusual field expedient portable antenna for 20m.

[Ham Radio Outside the Box](#)

### Pushing my 2016 Subaru Forester to its off-road limits

Activating Buse Hill Lookout located in Buse Lake Protected Area CA-3287.

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### Jumping on 40 meters right quick...

Today saw me testing a theory that 40 meters wasn't closed just because it was late in the morning.

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### Ham clubs: It's time to move away from the PDF newsletter

The PDF format is problematic because it acts as a walled garden.

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### Portland teenager completes 5-year quest to communicate with an

Zeke Wheeler, 13, asked his dad at the age of 8 what it would take to talk with an astronaut. Neither of them had the answer — so they set out to find one.

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### [POTA with 1930s gear](#)

CW without sidetone is not for the faint of heart.

[SolderSmoke Daily News](#)

### [Beginners guide to Hydrogen Line](#)

Antenna fabrication, reception, software and graphic display.

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### [JOTA 2024](#)

The kids were pretty impressed and kept up better than I might have expected.

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